

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
)	Group Art Unit: 3623
Ram Pandit)	
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Application No.: 10/716,476)	Examiner: Sterrett, Jonathan G.
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Filed: November 20, 2003)	
)	Confirmation No.: 6856
For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR)	
TOUR OPTIMIZATION)	

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Via EFS Web

Sir:

REPLY TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

This reply is filed in response to the Final Office Action mailed March 27, 2009, and in conjunction with a concurrently filed Request for Continued Examination ("RCE") and associated fees pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. Applicant respectfully traverses all pending rejections and requests consideration of this application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper beginning on page 2.

Remarks follow the amendment section of this paper.